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The present invention relates to method of and a computer
software product for administering cookies in an Internet
5   client-service system in which cookies are exchanged
between a server computer (17) and a client computer (11)
via the Internet (16), wherein the return of a cookie,
stored in a client computer (11), to the server computer
(17) which placed the cookie, is dependent upon a
10   preceding check of the cookie. There is further proposed a
client computer (11) for an Internet client-server system,
having an interface device for data exchange via the
Internet, at least one memory device (13) for storing data
objects and an administration means for administering
15   cookies, wherein the administration means (14) sends a
cookie stored in the memory device (13) back to the server
computer (17) which placed the cookie, in dependence upon
a preceding checking.

20   The present invention makes it possible for a user in the
Internet to control cookie transfer to and from his client
computer in an advantageous manner.

25   (Fig. 1)